



City of Memphis Alcohol Commission Minutes December 7, 2016

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- I. Call to Order** – The regularly scheduled meeting of the Alcohol Commission was called to order at approximately 9:07 a.m. by Aubrey Howard.
- II. Roll Call** – The following Commissioners were present: Barry Chase, Erma Hayslett, Billy Post, Johnsie Wallace, and Wayne West. The following Commissioners absent were Sherman Greer, Jared Johnson, Renee Poe, and Steven Reid.
- III. Approval of the minutes from the previous meeting** – The minutes of the previous meeting were distributed electronically prior to this meeting. *Commissioner West motioned to approve the minutes of the November 16, 2016 meeting. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.*
- IV. Special Beer Applicant(s):**
1. John Kingsley – Mississippi River Park – “**4th Bluff Ice Rink**”
Date(s): **December 10, 2016 – January 9, 2017** – Time: **10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.**
Sponsoring Organization: **4th Bluff Project / Civic Commons Team**
Purpose of funds: **Profit; 1 booth(s)**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner West moved approval. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.
- V. Violation(s):**
- The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-4, C-5, D-4 **WITH** priors:**
2. Sadeq Sharan – 3003 Lamar - dba – “**Three Diamond**” – Citation #753667, #C335048
Date of Violation: **Monday, September 26, 2016**
Date Permit Approved: 10-15-2014
Prior Violation(s): 01-23-2015 (C-5)
Officer(s): Stepney #1348, Ward #0502, Galison #3156
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Hayslett moved to fine the location \$950.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner West seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-5, D-4 WITH priors:

3. Seemi, Inc. (Seemi Ali) – 3589 James - dba – “CME Food Mart” – Citation #790816
Date of Violation: **Wednesday, September 21, 2016**
Date Permit Approved: 12-19-2007
Prior Violation(s): 07-01-2016 (C-5)
Officer(s): Richardson #1326, Ward #0502, Galison #3156
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Hayslett moved to fine the location \$950.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner West seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.
4. Lamar Avenue Amoco (Shams Ali) – 2772 Lamar - dba – “Lamar Avenue Amoco” – Citation #790815
Date of Violation: **Monday, September 26, 2016**
Date Permit Approved: 08-20-2003
Prior Violation(s): 06-17-2013 (D-4); 12-27-2013 (C-5)
Officer(s): Stepney #1348, Ward #0502, Galison #3156
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Hayslett moved to fine the location \$1,000.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner West seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.
5. Rashad Al-Asadi – 2885 Park - dba – “No It All” – Citation #790866
Date of Violation: **Monday, September 26, 2016**
Date Permit Approved: 05-20-2015
Prior Violation(s): 01-31-2016 (C-1)
Officer(s): Stepney #1348, Ward #0502
No one appeared before commissioners. *Commissioner West moved to Indefinitely Suspend the location. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.*
6. Oumer A. Oumer – 3002 Park - dba – “Park Ave. Market” – Citation #753641
Date of Violation: **Monday, September 25, 2016**
Date Permit Approved: 11-04-2009
Prior Violation(s): 08-13-2013 (C-15, D-2); 04-06-2016 (C-5, D-4)
Officer(s): Richardson #1326, Smith #8636, Crutchfield #0871
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Hayslett moved to fine the location \$1,000.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner West seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-5 WITH priors:

7. Super Discount Food Mart (Salah M. Mohammed) – 3107 Barron - dba – “**Super Discount Food Mart**” – Citation #790814
Date of Violation: **Monday, September 26, 2016**
Date Permit Approved: 06-08-2008
Prior Violation(s): 08-16-2014 (C-5)
Officer(s): Stepney #1348, Ward #0502, Galison #3156
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Hayslett moved to fine the location \$750.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner West seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.
8. Mike Khmous – 3151 S. Perkins - dba – “**Hop In**” – Citation #753648
Date of Violation: **Thursday, August 25, 2016**
Date Permit Approved: 07-18-2012
Prior Violation(s): 03-26-2013 (D-4)
Officer(s): Taylor #1828, Stepney #1348, Beasley #11373
Commissioner West moved to lift the Indefinite Suspension, Commissioner Hayslett seconded. The motion passed. Attorney Richard Townsley, and owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Hayslett moved to fine the location \$750.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner West seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-4, C-5, D-4 NO priors:

9. Abdo Murshed – 1270 Getwell - dba – “**Getwell Tobacco Mart**” – Citation #753646; #C335131
Date of Violation: **Thursday, August 25, 2016**
Date Permit Approved: 07-20-2016
Officer(s): Taylor #1828, Stepney #1348, Bealsey #11373
Commissioner West moved to lift the Indefinite Suspension, Commissioner Hayslett seconded. The motion passed. Attorney Jim Curry stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Hayslett moved to fine the location \$600.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner West seconded. The motion passed.* Attorney Jim Curry agreed to the fine and probation.

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-5, D-4 NO priors:

10. Paramjit Kaur – 1651 Getwell - dba – “Getwell Gas & Foodmart” – Citation #743422
Date of Violation: **Thursday, August 25, 2016**
Date Permit Approved: 05-20-2015
Officer(s): Johnson #10600, Smith #8636, Crutchfield #0871
Commissioner West moved to lift the Indefinite Suspension. Commissioner Hayslett second. The motion passed. Attorney Beth Brooks and owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Hayslett moved to fine the location \$500.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner West seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.
11. Abdi A. Moume – 2861 Lamar - dba – “Lee’s Market” – Citation #780705
Date of Violation: **Monday, September 26, 2016**
Date Permit Approved: 11-19-2003
Officer(s): Richardson #1326, Smith #8636, Crutchfield #0871
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Hayslett moved to fine the location \$500.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner West seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-5 NO priors:

12. Ly Touch – 1220 Getwell - dba – “Getwell Station” – Citation #753645
Date of Violation: **Thursday, August 25, 2016**
Date Permit Approved: 11-19-2014
Officer(s): Taylor #1828, Stepney #1348, Beasley #11373
Commissioner West moved to lift the Indefinite Suspension. Commissioner Chase second. The motion passed. Commissioner Hayslett moved to fine the location \$500.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner West seconded. The motion passed. The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-5 NO priors:

13. 1559 Lamar Express, Inc. (Natnael Kebede) – 1736 S. Prescott - dba – “NH Prescott Mart” – Citation #739313
Date of Violation: **Monday, September 26, 2016**
Date Permit Approved: 08-20-2014
Officer(s): Richardson #1326, Smith #8636, Crutchfield #0871
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Hayslett moved to fine the location \$500.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner West seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

VI. The following person(s) has applied to sell beer for “ON” premises consumption:

14. William N. Smith – 535 S. Highland – The Bluff Restaurant Group. LLC - dba – **“The Bluff”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner West moved to continue location to December 21, 2016, per owner request no Certificate of Occupancy. Commissioner Hayslett seconded. The motion passed.
15. Derese S. Johnson & Terran M. Tabor – 7395 Highway 64 (Stage) – dba – **“Cisco’s Kid Chicken Company”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner West moved approval. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.
16. Liang Lin & Xiao Dan Chen – 643 N. McLean – dba – **“Mid-Town Mini Mart”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner West moved approval. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.

VII. The following person(s) has applied to sell beer for “OFF” premises consumption:

17. Hazem M. Shoman & Ramy Samy – 1885 Berryhill – EGY Management IV, Inc. – dba – **“Berryhill Market”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner West moved approval. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.
18. Muslim Ahmed – 3210 Hickory Hill – NSM Investment, LLC - dba – **“Freedom Gas & Food Station”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner West moved approval. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.
19. Shadin Quran – 643 N. McLean – dba – **“Mid-Town Mini Mart”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner West moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.
20. Ata M. Quraan – 3004 Overton Crossing- dba – **“Nana Market”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner West moved approval. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.
21. Mohammad Gazi – 443 E. Shelby Drive – BV Enterprise, Inc. - dba – **“Shelby Food Mart”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner West moved approval. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.
22. Mohammad Ullah – 2205 E. Shelby Drive – Ocean Enterprise, LLC - dba – **“Airport Food Mart”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner West moved approval. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.

23. Essam M. Al Sabbagh – 2196 S. Third – E Shop, Inc. - dba – **“Minute Mart”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner West moved approval. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.
24. Mutahar Sharhan – 3340 Winchester – Hop In Winchester, Inc. - dba – **“Hop In Mart”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner West moved approval. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.

VIII. Liquor Store(s):

25. Nancy O. Page – 465 N. Germantown, Ste. 103 – Wolf Chase Retail Management, Inc. –
dba – **“Wolf Chase Wine & Spirits”**
Upon routine questioning by the Commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws,
Commissioner West moved approval for recommendation to the Mayor, and the Mayor will recommend to the State. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.

IX. New Business:

X. Old Business:

XI. Adjournment:

There being no further business to come before the commission, Commissioner Chase moved for adjournment at approximately 10:20 a.m. Commissioner West seconded. The meeting was adjourned.

Billy Post, Chairman

Date

Aubrey J. Howard, Executive Secretary

Date